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I am writing to bring to your attention Syrian violations of the 1974 Agreement on Disengagement between Israeli and Syrian Forces, as well as breaches of Israeli sovereignty, during October 2018. A comprehensive list of those violations and breaches is included in the annex to the present letter.

As outlined below, Syrian violations of the Alpha line and armed presence in the area of separation occur daily. Despite their clear visibility and the fact that the Israel Defense Forces regularly inform the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force (UNDOF) of those violations, they are consistently excluded from reports of the Secretariat.

Israel is fully committed to the implementation of the Agreement on Disengagement and the relevant Security Council resolutions, as demonstrated by the reports that the Israel Defense Forces continuously provide to UNDOF.

Syrian violations of the Agreement on Disengagement serve only to enhance tensions in an already volatile region.

Therefore, it is imperative that the upcoming report of the Secretary-General on the activities of UNDOF represent the situation on the ground accurately and include the demand that the Syrian Government abide by the 1974 Agreement on Disengagement.

I trust that the forthcoming report will reflect the ongoing violations, as well as Israel's commitment to the successful implementation of the Agreement on Disengagement.

I should be grateful if you would have the present letter and its annex distributed as a document of the Security Council.

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Annex to the identical letters dated 19 November 2018 from the Permanent Representative of Israel to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

Syrian violations as reported by the Israel Defense Forces, October 2018

Number	*Date and time*	*Description*	*Location (Universal Transverse Mercator system coordinates)*
1	1 October 0034	One armed Syrian civilian was observed in the area of separation, at the coordinates indicated	700/498
2	1 October 0247	Three armed Syrian civilians were observed in the area of separation, at the coordinates indicated	703/501
3	1 October 0344	One armed Syrian civilian was observed in the area of separation, at the coordinates indicated	700/498
4	1 October 0458	One armed Syrian civilian was observed in the area of separation, at the coordinates indicated	703/501
5	1 October 0629	Two armed Syrian civilians were observed in the area of separation, at the coordinates indicated	701/497
6	1 October 0700	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 752 metres, at the coordinates indicated	680/520
7	1 October 0750	Two armed Syrian civilians were observed in the area of separation, at the coordinates indicated	700/498
8	1 October 0837	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 191 metres, at the coordinates indicated	590/272
9	1 October 0920	Two armed Syrian civilians were observed in the area of separation, at the coordinates indicated	702/500
10	1 October 0935	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 770 metres, at the coordinates indicated	679/521
11	1 October 1318	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 98 metres, at the coordinates indicated	657/364
12	1 October 1319	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 1,290 metres, at the coordinates indicated	577/266
13	1 October 1325	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 525 metres, at the coordinates indicated	599/836
14	1 October 1711	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 178 metres, at the coordinates indicated	647/736
15	1 October N/A	One tank was observed in the area of separation, at the coordinates indicated	684/431
16	1 October N/A	One armoured personnel vehicle was observed in the area of separation, at the coordinates indicated	684/431

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17	2 October 0738	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 239 metres, at the coordinates indicated	674/570
18	2 October 0753	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 145 metres, at the coordinates indicated	590/269
19	2 October 0834	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 396 metres, at the coordinates indicated	620/787
20	2 October 0836	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 740 metres, at the coordinates indicated	640/752
21	2 October 0841	Two Syrian armed forces soldiers were observed in the area of separation, at the coordinates indicated	696/470
22	2 October 0845	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 162 metres, at the coordinates indicated	648/737
23	2 October 0856	Three Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 502 metres, at the coordinates indicated	590/274
24	2 October 0929	Two Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 219 metres, at the coordinates indicated	647/737
25	2 October 0950	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 735 metres, at the coordinates indicated	627/766
26	2 October 1107	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 102 metres, at the coordinates indicated	699/498
27	2 October N/A	A Syrian armed forces checkpoint was observed in the area of separation, at the coordinates indicated	703/501
28	2 October 1213	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 838 metres, at the coordinates indicated	615/820
29	2 October 1232	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 496 metres, at the coordinates indicated	620/778
30	2 October 1315	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 132 metres, at the coordinates indicated	657/366
31	2 October 1321	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 194 metres, at the coordinates indicated	656/366
32	2 October 1359	Two Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 174 metres, at the coordinates indicated	586/267
33	2 October 1519	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 343 metres, at the coordinates indicated	603/834
34	2 October 1657	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 198 metres, at the coordinates indicated	646/737
35	3 October 0417	Two armed Syrian civilians were observed in the area of separation, at the coordinates indicated	703/501

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36	3 October 0728	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 714 metres, at the coordinates indicated	679/522
37	3 October 0814	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 244 metres, at the coordinates indicated	645/744
38	3 October 0823	Two Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 322 metres, at the coordinates indicated	672/573
39	3 October 0941	One armed Syrian civilian was observed in the area of separation, at the coordinates indicated	629/689
40	3 October 1009	Two Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 87 metres, at the coordinates indicated	698/500
41	3 October 1405	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 412 metres, at the coordinates indicated	602/834
42	3 October 1504	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 876 metres, at the coordinates indicated	638/748
43	3 October 1855	One Syrian armed forces soldier was observed in the area of separation, at the coordinates indicated	700/466
44	4 October 0817	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 318 metres, at the coordinates indicated	621/787
45	4 October 1109	Four armed Syrian civilians were observed in the area of separation, at the coordinates indicated	700/466
46	4 October 1722	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 238 metres, at the coordinates indicated	646/737
47	4 October 1733	Two Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 465 metres, at the coordinates indicated	675/548
48	5 October 0908	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 77 metres, at the coordinates indicated	697/502
49	5 October 1001	One armed Syrian civilian was observed in the area of separation, at the coordinates indicated	703/501
50	5 October 1024	One armed Syrian civilian was observed in the area of separation, at the coordinates indicated	619/901
51	5 October 1142	Five Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 630 metres, at the coordinates indicated	582/268
52	5 October 1324	Two Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 84 metres, at the coordinates indicated	649/351
53	5 October 1358	Two Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 183 metres, at the coordinates indicated	647/561
54	5 October 1450	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 759 metres, at the coordinates indicated	640/745

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55	6 October 0805	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 121 metres, at the coordinates indicated	648/736
56	6 October 0926	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 142 metres, at the coordinates indicated	670/436
57	6 October 1000	Four armed Syrian soldiers were observed crossing the Alpha line by 175 metres, at the coordinates indicated	591/845
58	6 October 1223	25 armed Syrian soldiers were observed crossing the Alpha line by 175 metres, at the coordinates indicated	591/845
59	6 October 1223	375 Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 175 metres, at the coordinates indicated	591/845
60	7 October 0857	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 155 metres, at the coordinates indicated	671/438
61	7 October 1005	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 485 metres, at the coordinates indicated	682/519
62	7 October 1029	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 90 metres, at the coordinates indicated	661/382
63	7 October 1334	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 142 metres, at the coordinates indicated	646/348
64	7 October 1626	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 103 metres, at the coordinates indicated	598/872
65	8 October 1036	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 72 metres, at the coordinates indicated	698/502
66	8 October 1216	Five Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 628 metres, at the coordinates indicated	590/279
67	8 October 1402	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 180 metres, at the coordinates indicated	648/062
68	9 October 0746	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 541 metres, at the coordinates indicated	682/519
69	9 October 1230	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 194 metres, at the coordinates indicated	593/275
70	9 October 1459	Four Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 650 metres, at the coordinates indicated	589/279
71	9 October 1503	Two Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 169 metres, at the coordinates indicated	679/450
72	10 October 1333	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 124 metres, at the coordinates indicated	646/347
73	10 October 1652	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 322 metres, at the coordinates indicated	661/641

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74	10 October 0908	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 173 metres, at the coordinates indicated	645/725
75	11 October 1459	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 936 metres, at the coordinates indicated	638/748
76	12 October 0715	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 350 metres, at the coordinates indicated	682/522
77	12 October 1154	One armed Syrian civilian was observed at the coordinates indicated	702/502
78	12 October 1513	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 787 metres, at the coordinates indicated	640/748
79	12 October 1820	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 47 metres, at the coordinates indicated	700/498
80	12 October 2013	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 1,011 metres, at the coordinates indicated	612/817
81	13 October 0655	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 496 metres, at the coordinates indicated	682/520
82	13 October 1236	Two Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 316 metres, at the coordinates indicated	634/334
83	13 October 1403	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 461 metres, at the coordinates indicated	643/741
84	13 October 1446	Two Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 440 metres, at the coordinates indicated	644/7471
85	14 October 0953	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 401 metres, at the coordinates indicated	684/519
86	14 October 1406	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 226 metres, at the coordinates indicated	661/649
87	14 October 1451	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 1,009 metres, at the coordinates indicated	637/751
88	14 October 1457	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 143 metres, at the coordinates indicated	697/502
89	14 October 1709	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 47 metres, at the coordinates indicated	700/498
90	15 October 0646	Three Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 117 metres, at the coordinates indicated	679/450
91	15 October 0710	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 444 metres, at the coordinates indicated	682/522
92	15 October 0917	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 513 metres, at the coordinates indicated	643/741

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93	15 October 1324	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 108 metres, at the coordinates indicated	652/354
94	15 October 1446	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 596 metres, at the coordinates indicated	642/744
95	15 October 1730	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 372 metres, at the coordinates indicated	644/741
96	16 October 0712	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 539 metres, at the coordinates indicated	682/519
97	16 October 1026	Two Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 814 metres, at the coordinates indicated	601/328
98	16 October 1136	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 88 metres, at the coordinates indicated	696/503
99	16 October 1655	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 690 metres, at the coordinates indicated	641/745
100	16 October 1731	One unarmed Syrian armed forces soldier was observed crossing the Alpha line by 691 metres, at the coordinates indicated	700/466
101	17 October 0910	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 872 metres, at the coordinates indicated	638/748
102	17 October 1439	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 554 metres, at the coordinates indicated	642/742
103	17 October 1703	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 133 metres, at the coordinates indicated	681/456
104	18 October 0925	Two Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 67 metres, at the coordinates indicated	699/499
105	18 October 0943	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 1,058 metres, at the coordinates indicated	599/298
106	18 October 1115	One heavy machine gun was observed in the area of separation, at the coordinates indicated	679/597
107	18 October 1518	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 116 metres, at the coordinates indicated	648/737
108	18 October 1658	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 864 metres, at the coordinates indicated	638/751
109	18 October 1514	One excavator was observed working on a military position in the area of separation, at the coordinates indicated	611/856
110	18 October 0811	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 131 metres, at the coordinates indicated	674/442
111	19 October 1119	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 140 metres, at the coordinates indicated	700/497

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112	19 October 1626	Two Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 837 metres, at the coordinates indicated	639/746
113	19 October 2139	Two armed Syrian civilians were observed in the area of separation, at the coordinates indicated	703/501
114	20 October 0830	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 692 metres, at the coordinates indicated	679/521
115	20 October 1532	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 525 metres, at the coordinates indicated	618/784
116	20 October 1623	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 690 metres, at the coordinates indicated	616/813
117	20 October 1648	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 874 metres, at the coordinates indicated	638/748
118	21 October 0827	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 707 metres, at the coordinates indicated	678/522
119	21 October 1342	Two armed Syrian civilians were observed in the area of separation, at the coordinates indicated	701/503
120	21 October 1440	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 650 metres, at the coordinates indicated	641/745
121	21 October 1657	Four Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 182 metres, at the coordinates indicated	591/845
122	22 October 1107	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 604 metres, at the coordinates indicated	589/278
123	22 October 1631	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 392 metres, at the coordinates indicated	620/788
124	23 October 1431	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 654 metres, at the coordinates indicated	641/744
125	24 October 1237	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 81 metres, at the coordinates indicated	658/367
126	24 October 1324	Four Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 597 metres, at the coordinates indicated	587/275
127	24 October 1422	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 94 metres, at the coordinates indicated	679/451
128	24 October 1431	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 742 metres, at the coordinates indicated	641/745
129	24 October 2026	Four armed Syrian civilians were observed in the area of separation, firing northwards, at the coordinates indicated	623/791
130	25 October 0934	Two Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 79 metres, at the coordinates indicated	661/383

Number	*Date and time*	*Description*	*Location (Universal Transverse Mercator system coordinates)*
131	25 October 1339	Three Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 789 metres, at the coordinates indicated	588/279
132	27 October 0731	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 100 metres, at the coordinates indicated	678/450
133	27 October 0731	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 561 metres, at the coordinates indicated	681/520
134	27 October 1028	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 192 metres, at the coordinates indicated	641/737
135	27 October 1042	Three Syrian soldiers were observed in the area of separation, at the coordinates indicated	695/470
136	27 October 1131	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 131 metres, at the coordinates indicated	661/383
137	27 October 1539	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 854 metres, at the coordinates indicated	640/745
138	28 October 1018	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 797 metres, at the coordinates indicated	628/764
139	28 October 1244	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 613 metres, at the coordinates indicated	619/777
140	29 October 0947	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 301 metres, at the coordinates indicated	622/770
141	29 October 0948	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 189 metres, at the coordinates indicated	644/723
142	29 October 1254	Two Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 674 metres, at the coordinates indicated	589/279
143	30 October 0826	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 145 metres, at the coordinates indicated	647/736
144	30 October 1049	Two Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 479 metres, at the coordinates indicated	585/270
145	30 October 1547	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 577 metres, at the coordinates indicated	642/742
146	30 October 1703	One Syrian civilian was observed crossing the Alpha line by 71 metres, at the coordinates indicated	700/498
147	31 October 1007	Four Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 559 metres, at the coordinates indicated	583/269
148	31 October 1504	40 Syrian civilians were observed crossing the Alpha line by 205 metres, at the coordinates indicated	591/845
149	31 October 1504	10 Syrian armed forces soldiers were observed crossing the Alpha line by 205 metres, at the coordinates indicated	591/845

Abbreviation: N/A, not applicable.